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REPLY TO ATTENTION OF

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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Garrison Commander's Policy Statement on Sexual Harassment

- 1. Applicability. This policy statement applies to all Department of the Army (DA) military personnel, civilian employees, and family members of this command.
- 2. Proponent. Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO), 805-2006, and Equal Opportunity (EO), 805-2288.
- 3. I am committed to the goal of a work environment free of sexual harassment. Commanders, managers, and supervisors must remain cognizant of their responsibilities to prevent this unacceptable conduct.
- 4. Sexual harassment is a form of sex discrimination that involves unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature when (1) submission to or rejection of such conduct is made either explicitly or implicitly, a term or condition of a person's job, pay, or career; or (2) submission to or rejection of such conduct by a person is used as a basis for career or employment decisions affecting that person; or (3) such conduct interferes with an individual's performance or creates an intimidating, hostile, or offensive environment.
- 5. Any member of this command who thinks he/she is experiencing sexual harassment should make it clear that such behavior is offensive and immediately report it to the appropriate commander/supervisor, EEO/EO official, or Inspector General (IG).
- 6. I expect all personnel to support my continuing commitment to ensure that sexual harassment is eliminated at Fort Belvoir.
- 7. This memorandum supersedes memorandum dated 08 November 1999 and will be permanently posted on unit bulletin boards and in work areas.

THOMAS W. WILLIAMS

COL, AD

Garrison Commander

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